IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For: BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL AND METHODS AND SOLUTIONS FOR THE

PRESERVATION THEREOF

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

This Amendment is submitted responsive to the final Official Action dated January 26, 2010, along with a petition for a two-month extension of time, making a Response due on or before June 26, 2010. However, since June 26, 2010 fell on a Saturday, the due date for response was automatically extended until Monday. June 28, 2010. Accordingly, this Response is timely filed.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification appear at page 2 of this paper.

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A Conclusion appears at page 21 of this paper.